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supplement specific discovery requests as follows:

First Set of interrogatories: numbers 3, 4, 5, 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16.

First Request for Production of Documents: numbers 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12.

First Request for Admissions: numbers 2 and 3.

Second Set of interrogatories: numbers 1-4, 6 and 8.

Second Request for Production of Documents: numbers 1-4, 6 and 7.

Second Request for Admissions: numbers 1-4.

Third Request for production of Documents: all.

- B. Defendants are to identify and produce all documents, maps, plans, or any other documentary evidence in support of any updated General Plan, amended General Plan, incorporation of any fringe into the City of Hanford and/or provisions of public services to the general public.
- C. Defendants are to identify any other witnesses known by the defendants with knowledge of facts and circumstances pertaining to the subject matter of plaintiff's allegations, and include the substance of testimony anticipated to be elicited from the witnesses, both lay and expert.
- D. Defendants are to identify and produce documentation any and all applications for site plan review referred to the City of Hanford for possible annexation after the January 2004 amendment to the Kings County General Plan; the "corrected" Grant Deed for the premises located at 11180 South 10th Avenue, Hanford, California; and documentation pertaining to the recycling business located at 14050 Locust Avenue, Armona, California.

II. SUPPLEMENTAL OF EXPERT REPORTS.

Defendants shall, within seven (7) court days (on or before April 30, 2009), supplement all expert declarations and/or reports to include any additional information and any statements of additional opinions not previously expressed. Defendants are to also identify any other documents, exhibits, physical or documentary, upon which their experts are expected to rely,

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including any survey, test or other analysis of the General Plan or the consolidation of services. 1 2 III. DEPOSITIONS. 3 Plaintiff shall have thirty (30) days from receipt of defendants' supplemental discovery 4 and expert reports to conduct depositions, both lay and expert depositions. Defendants shall 5 then have a subsequent thirty (30) days to conduct depositions, both lay and expert depositions. 6 IV. MISCELLANEOUS. 7 A copy of the compact disc mentioned by plaintiff's counsel as containing the 8 "compendium of additional materials relied upon by plaintiff's experts" will be produced to 9 defendants' counsel, at defendants' counsel's expense. 10 All non-dispositive and dispositive motions are hereby deemed resolved, and this order 11 does not re-open discovery except as expressly set forth above. 12 The trial in this matter is now scheduled to commence on September 15, 2009, with the 13 pre-trial conference scheduled for August 3, 2009. 14 15 Approved as to form and content. 16 /s/ Kevin G. Little By: 17 Kevin G. Little Attorney for Plaintiff 18 IT IS SO ORDERED. 19 /s/ Oliver W. Wanger UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE **Dated:** April 23, 2009 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28